

LADIES' NOTE BOOK *AND* CALENDAR



DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS

Cure biliousness, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, costiveness, or constipation of the bowels, loss of appetite, coated tongue, sour stomach, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels.

Persons subject to any of these troubles should never be without a vial of the "Pleasant Pellets" at hand. In proof of their superior excellence it can truthfully be said that they are always adopted as a household remedy after the first trial. Put up in glass vials, tightly corked, therefore always fresh and reliable,

One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are cathartic. They regulate, invigorate and cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels. As a "dinner pill," to promote digestion, take one each day. To relieve the distress arising from over-eating, nothing equals one of these little "Pellets." They're tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules, scarcely larger than mustard seeds.

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MEMORANDA.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS--REGULATE AND
INVIGORATE THE LIVER,
STOMACH AND BOWELS.

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WEAK WOMEN MADE STRONG, SICK WOMEN MADE WELL.

In those eight words is summed up the great work for women which is accomplished by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The treatment and cure of many thousands of

weaknesses and

lids' Hotel and

Surgical Insti-

tute, Buffalo,

N. Y., led to the putting

up of "Favorite Pre-

scription" for home use

in its present perfected

form.

The record of the cures effected by this remedy is without a parallel. Thousands of testimonials received from patients and from physicians who have tested it in the more aggravated and obstinate cases which had baffled their skill, prove it to be the most wonderful remedy ever devised for the relief and cure of suffering women. It is not recommended as a "cure-all," but as a most perfect specific for woman's peculiar ailments. So uniform are the results which follow the use of this remarkable remedy, that it can be truly affirmed of "Favorite Prescription" that *it always helps and almost always cures*. Ninety-eight per cent. of the women who give this medicine a fair and faithful trial are cured and remain cured.

IT IS A POWERFUL INVIGORATING TONIC, imparting health and strength in particular to the womb and its appendages. The local, womanly health is so intimately related to the general health that when diseases of the delicate womanly organs are cured the whole body gains in health and strength. For weak and sickly women who are "worn-out," "run-down" or debilitated, especially for women who work in store, office or school-room, who sit at the typewriter or sewing machine, or bear heavy household burdens, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription will prove a priceless benefit because of its health-restoring and strength-giving power.



March 1902.

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MEMORANDA.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS CURE CON-
STIPATION.

April 1902.

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One egg - 1/2

AS A SOOTHING AND STRENGTHENING NERVINE, "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea, or St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the womb. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency. Even insanity, when dependent upon womb disease, is cured by it.

TREATING THE WRONG DISEASE.—Many times women call on their family physicians, suffering, as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous exhaustion or prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they all present alike to themselves and their easy-going and indifferent, or over-busy doctor, separate and distinct diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his pills and potions. In reality they are all only *symptoms* caused by some womb disease. The physician, ignorant of the *cause* of suffering, encourages this practice until large bills are made. The suffering patient gets no better, but probably worse, by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, *directed to the cause* would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and instituting comfort instead of prolonged misery. It has been well said that "a disease known is half cured." In cases almost innumerable, after all other medicines had failed to help and doctors had said there was no cure possible, the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, supplemented when necessary by the medical advice and counsel of Dr. Pierce, has resulted in a perfect and permanent cure. The genuineness of these cures is attested not only by the entire disappearance of pain, but by a gain of flesh, a clear complexion and a cheerful disposition.

A SCIENTIFIC MEDICINE.—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate organism. It is purely vegetable in its composition and perfectly harmless in its effects *in any condition of the system*. For morning sickness or nausea, due to pregnancy, weak stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia and kindred symptoms, its use will prove very beneficial.

CURES OBSTINATE CASES.—"Favorite Prescription" is a positive cure for the most complicated and obstinate cases of leucorrhea, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, unnatural suppressions and irregularities, prolapsus or falling of the womb, weak back, "female weakness," anteversion, retroversion, bearing-down sensations, chronic congestion, inflammation and ulceration of the womb, inflammation, pain and tenderness of the ovaries, accompanied with "internal heat."

IN LEUCORRHEA, or "whites," the vagina should be thoroughly cleansed every night before retiring, by the free use of soap and water, injected with a rubber pump, or other female syringe, at as high a temperature as is comfortable. After thus cleansing the canal, dissolve one of

May 1902.

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MEMORANDA.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS REGULATE
STOMACH, LIVER,
BOWELS.

June 1902.

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DR. PIERCE'S

Purifying and Strengthening Lotion Tablets

In a pint of hot water and use this solution as a final injection.

The cleansing antiseptic and tonic effects of this lotion are particularly beneficial and curative in obstinate and long standing cases. In prolapsus, or falling of the womb, do not fail to use this valuable aid to the treatment. If your dealer does not have DR. PIERCE'S LOTION TABLETS, mail 25 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and you will receive them by return post.

IF ULCERATION IS SUSPECTED, from the persistency of the discharge and its failure to yield, in due time, to the continued use of the "Favorite Prescription" and the "Purifying and Strengthening Lotion Tablets" solution, apply one of

DR. PIERCE'S

Antiseptic and Healing Suppositories,

Pressing the suppository well up against the mouth of the womb, first having cleansed the parts thoroughly with hot water and soap.

This application should be repeated every third night. The use of the Lotion Tablet solution may be omitted on nights when Suppositories are applied.

The "Antiseptic and Healing Suppositories" can do no harm in any case. They are a very efficient part of the treatment in all cases of ulceration about the mouth or neck of the womb. They are also a very useful part of the treatment in all cases of *prolapsus* or falling of the womb. They aid in toning up and strengthening the supports of the womb.

If your druggist or general store-keeper does not have them in stock, send 25 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive them by return post. Be careful to write **VERY PLAINLY**, your full name, post-office, County and State.

AS A REGULATOR OF THE "MONTHLY COURSES," and promoter of functional action at that critical period of change from girlhood to womanhood, "Favorite Prescription" is a perfectly safe remedial agent and can produce only good results. It is equally efficacious and valuable in its effects when taken for those disorders and derangements incident to that later and most critical period, known as "The Change of Life."

"FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION," when taken in connection with the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and small laxative doses of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, cures Liver, Kidney and Bladder diseases. Their combined use also removes blood-taints and abolishes scrofulous humors from the system.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS should be used in connection with "Favorite Prescription" or "Golden Medical Discovery," whenever a laxative is required. The ingredients of other pills are liable to antagonize these medicines and so retard a cure.

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MEMORANDA.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
 PELLETS—ONE A GENTLE
 LAXATIVE, TWO OR THREE
 A MILD CATHARTIC.

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Aug. 1903.



DO YOU EXPECT TO

BECOME A MOTHER?

If so, then permit us to say that "Favorite Prescription" is indeed a true

"MOTHER'S FRIEND"

FOR IT

Makes Childbirth Easy

and almost painless, by preparing the system for parturition, thus assisting Nature, and shortening labor. The painful ordeal of childbirth is robbed of its terrors, and the dangers thereof greatly lessened, to both mother and child. The period of confinement is also greatly shortened, the mother strengthened and, built up, and an abundant secretion of nourishment for the child promoted.

We have received the heartfelt praise of hundreds of mothers for the inestimable benefits thus conferred.

IN THREATENED MISCARRIAGE, or when it is feared from having before occurred, the "FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION," taken in small doses for a considerable time, will fortify the system against such a calamity.

IN MORNING SICKNESS, or nausea arising from pregnancy, the "Favorite Prescription" should be taken in doses of a teaspoonful three or four times a day. It will seldom fail to give complete relief.

NERVOUS DISEASES.—In all cases of nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, or debility, in either sex, insomnia or inability to sleep, neuralgia, and spasms, or convulsions, the "Favorite Prescription" is invaluable.

In all protracted, or chronic, diseases, *perseverance* in the use of treatment is necessary, no matter how good the medicine employed. Do not expect entire relief from maladies that have existed for months in as many days. "Favorite Prescription" given a *fair* trial will *not* disappoint you.

TIME AND PERSEVERANCE REQUIRED.—Most chronic diseases are slow in their inception and development, and their cure must necessarily be gradual. Disease that has been progressing and becoming more firmly established for months, or perhaps years, cannot, except in rare cases, be hastily dislodged, and the system restored to perfect health. The process of cure, like the development and progress of the disease, must be a gradual one, accomplished step by step. Often, too, the use of medicine, that if *persisted* in, will prove beneficial and curative, will, for a considerable time,

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DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS CURE CON-
STIPATION.

Oct. 1903.

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arouse in the system very disagreeable sensations, and many times this leads unthinking persons to become frightened or discouraged, and to quit the treatment best adapted to their cases, if it only be faithfully carried out.

The women who give Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription a *fair and faithful trial* will, in ninety-eight cases in every hundred, be perfectly and permanently cured.

DO NOT INEBRIATE.—Neither Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription nor "Golden Medical Discovery" contains any alcohol, whisky or other form of intoxicant. Nor does either of these medicines contain any opium or other narcotic drug. Of no other medicines especially designed for woman's peculiar ailments can this be truthfully said. A very large percentage of alcohol is contained in all other so-called "female remedies." It is a matter of current knowledge among physicians that medicines containing alcohol are dangerous to the system. In the cure of female diseases the use of many bottles of medicine is often necessary, and when the medicine is alcoholic, and the system, through debility, is especially susceptible to its influence, it tends to create a craving demand for intoxicating stimulants which is often as irresistible as it is dangerous to the health.

FREE CONSULTATION.—An invitation is extended by Dr. Pierce to every sick and ailing woman to consult him by letter. There is absolutely no charge or fee for this consultation. Every letter is carefully considered, fully answered, and its statements held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. The escape which this offers from the disagreeable questionings, indelicate examinations and local treatments, generally so unnecessary and so offensive to the modest, sensitive woman, has led a vast army of ailing women to take the first step to health by opening a correspondence with Dr. Pierce. Write with perfect freedom, as every letter received is given careful consideration and a fatherly, and sympathetic answer is promptly returned, securely sealed in a plain envelope.

BE NOT DECEIVED.—Designing *men*, through alluring and cunningly worded advertisements, constantly endeavor to work upon the feelings of sick and ailing women by inviting them "to write to a woman (!) and secure a *woman's* sympathy." The object of the sick is to get well, and however precious sympathy may be, it never yet cured a seriously afflicted woman.

It is loudly proclaimed through the press that "a woman can best understand a woman's ailments," and on this ground sick women are invited to "write to a woman" and get the benefit of a woman's advice. The sort of "understanding of her ailments" wanted by a sick woman is a trained medical understanding. If a woman has this trained medical knowledge she understands woman's ailments, *not as a woman*, but as a *physician*. If she is not a doctor she cannot understand the ailments at all, and cannot treat them successfully.

It is certain that there is no one, man or woman, connected with any other "put-up" medicine for women, who, like Dr. Pierce, is a regularly graduated and qualified physician, and who has, like him, devoted more than thirty years to the special study and treatment of diseases of women.

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DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS REGULATE
STOMACH, LIVER,
BOWELS.

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RELIABLE DEALERS recommend "Favorite Prescription." With tricky ones, something else that pays them better may be urged upon you as "just as good." Perhaps it is, for *them*, but it can't be for *you*. Some saving may be made by purchasing our medicines in half-dozen quantities.

If you are convinced that the "Favorite Prescription" is the medicine you need, do not be cajoled into accepting something else. The attempt to induce you to do so is an insult to your intelligence. Turn your back on the one who offers the affront.

OBNOXIOUS EXAMINATIONS.

The natural modesty of women leads them, often, to suffer in silence rather than to submit to a local examination from which womanly delicacy recoils. It is only in rare and aggravated cases of disease affecting the delicate womanly organization, that such an examination becomes necessary. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures in the privacy of the home, without the necessity for obnoxious examinations. It acts directly on the special organism involved. Over ninety thousand women have testified in writing to its marvelous merits.

No Longer a Walking Skeleton.

"I endured nearly four years of suffering," writes Mrs. J. L. Myers, of Washington, West Virginia, "caused principally from improper medical attention after the birth of a child, and female weakness, resulting in a complication of diseases. I suffered from bilious attacks, kidney trouble, palpitation of heart, and numerous other ailments. Had a terrible cough and an incessant pain and soreness in lungs. Was reduced

in flesh from one hundred and eighty-four pounds to about one hundred pounds in eighteen months. I had no appetite, and became so weak and nervous I could scarcely sit up. I doctored with our home physicians, taking an indiscribable amount of medicine for two years. Became disheartened and disgusted at the thought of medicine, for none had ever done more than give relief for a very short time, and seemingly made my suffering greater.

I was finally induced to try Dr. Pierce's medicines. I wrote to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, in the spring of 1898, regarding my case, and received a prompt reply, free, advising the proper medicines for my case. I

MRS. MYERS,

obtained the medicines at the druggists, and after taking four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and four of his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' three doses of each every day, also taking one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Compound Extract of Smart-Weed and some of his 'Pellets,' I experienced de-



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DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS--ONE A GENTLE
LAXATIVE, THREE A THOR-
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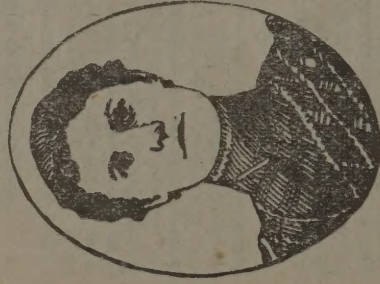
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cided benefits. I ceased coughing, and am now enjoying splendid health and have gained thirty-five pounds in weight. I again feel like my former self, thanks to Dr. Pierce and his great medicines. I am no longer the 'walking skeleton' that I was a few months ago. I gladly and cheerfully recommend Dr. Pierce's great medicines to my friends, and especially to all suffering women."

Gained Twenty-nine Pounds.

"Three years ago," writes Mrs. John Graham, of 2018 Plumb St. (Frankford), Philadelphia, Pa., "I had a very bad attack of dropsy, which left me with heart trouble, and also a very weak back. At times I was so bad that I did not know what to do with myself. My children advised me to take your 'Favorite Prescription,' but I had been taking so much medicine from the doctor that I was discouraged with everything. I came to Philadelphia two years ago, and picking up one of your little books, one day, began to read what your medicine had done for others, I determined to try it myself. I took seven bottles, and to-day I am a strong, well woman, weighing one hundred and sixty-two pounds. Have gained twenty-nine pounds since I started to use your 'Favorite Prescription.' I can recommend your famous medicine to all who suffer as I did as I have unbounded faith in it."



MRS. GRAHAM.

Case Regarded Hopeless.

"I wish to add my testimony to hundreds of others as to the value of Dr. Pierce's medicines," writes Mrs. Ida M. De Ford, of Latona, Hubbard Co., Minn. "Have doctored with a great many physicians—some specialists; have twice been in a hospital for treatment. My case has been regarded as a hopeless one, and they knew not what the trouble was. Heart was bad; stomach all out of order; tired out, severe pains in all parts of the body; sinking spells and nearly every ailment a woman could have. I took many a bottle of different 'patent medicines' without effect. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and ten months afterward I gave birth to a ten-pound boy. All physicians had stated as a fact that I never could bear a child. Both the baby and myself were strong, and I got along splendidly—thanks to your medicine. I do my own work and feel very much encouraged. I wish all suffering women would thoroughly try your 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Mrs. Ida M. DeFord

March 1908.

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DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT
PELLETS CURE CON-
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Cures When Doctors Fail.

"I suffered with female weakness about eight years—tried several doctors but derived no benefit until I began using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. John Green, of Danville, Boyle Co., Ky. "This medicine was recommended to me by other patients. I have taken six bottles and I feel like another person."

(Mrs.)

John Green

Could Hardly Walk.

"About six years ago my health failed," writes Miss Alethea E. Green of Coopstown, Harford Co., Md. "I kept getting down lower and lower, until I could scarcely walk across the floor without struggling and gasping for breath. My home physician pronounced it general debility and catarrh of the throat, but although he did all he could he failed to even relieve me. I tried various remedies, but all of no avail. I soon wasted away to a mere skeleton. Finally I was persuaded to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., which I did immediately, and on receiving his very kind advice, I commenced the use of his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took nine bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and fourteen of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and to-day I am a well woman. I do heartily thank God and Dr. Pierce for my good health."

MISS GREEN.



Tired and Sick. Prolapsus.

"I write these few lines hoping that some other suffering woman will try Dr. Pierce's medicines, as I did," writes Mrs. O. S. Adams, of Fargo, Cass Co., N. Dak. "I had falling of womb very badly; so I had to be in bed part of the time. I was tired and sick all the time, could not do my housework; had fainting spells, nervous headache, backache and pain in my left side when I would lie down; had pains and aches all over. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and had not taken two bottles when I was able to be around again and to do my work, with no pain. I have taken five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, two of his 'Compound Extract of Smart-Weed,' and several vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets.' I am feeling better than I have for a great many years. I think Dr. Pierce's medicines are the greatest in the world."

(Mrs.)

O. S. Adams

Delivered from Death.

"I have long felt it my duty to write to you," says Mrs. Montgomery Co., Penn'a.

Henry T. Miller, of Schwenkville, "I am well and happy. Had my photograph taken four weeks ago, so as to send you one as I look now. I don't think I would look as I do now if I had not used your 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' These medicines made me a well woman. It is now five years since I used your medicines combined, and I have been well and strong ever since. I still keep the 'Golden Medical Discovery' in the house.

"I think your medicines do all that they are said to do, and more, too. I am sure I would not be among the living to-day if I had not used your medicines at the time I did. May God keep you and help you and your medicines to do for others what has been done for me and my family."

MRS. MILLER.



• Trouble Started During Childhood.

"I write a few lines to thank you for your advice and grand remedies, to which I owe my health, and perhaps my life," says Miss Flora I. Greer, of 107 Howe St., Akron, Ohio. "My troubles started during my childhood, but did not prove serious until 1893, when I met with an accident caused by a horse running away. From that time I did not see a well day. I suffered at every menstrual period with terrible headache, irritation of the spine and pains in my heels so I could not bear them resting on the softest pillow. What I suffered pen could never describe. I had soreness through my hips and ovaries all the time and constant backache. Was afraid to be alone, imagined that everyone hated me, and everything looked like a mountain. One doctor would tell me one thing ailed me, another would say something altogether different, but they only relieved me. I then wrote you in April, 1899, through the advice of a neighbor, and followed your advice from April to July. I took five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and four of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and five vials of 'Pellets.' Have not had a single symptom of my old trouble so far. Can sleep good nights, work hard, and can eat solid and substantial food without distress. There are several of my friends taking your medicines with the best results since they have seen how it helped me.

"If any one wishes to know more of my case and will enclose a stamp I will answer any question they wish to ask."

Flora I. Greer

Suffered Very Much Less.

"I gladly recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. J. W. G. Stephens, of Mila, Northumberland Co., Virginia. "Before my third little boy was born I took six bottles. He is the finest child and has been from birth, and I suffered very much less than I did before in confinement. I unhesitatingly advise expectant mothers to use the 'Favorite Prescription.'"

(Mrs.)

J. W. G. Stephens

Restored to Health.

"Four years ago my health began to fail," writes Mrs. Nellie M. Reycraft, of Glenwood, Washington Co, Oregon. "I had a heavy dragging and weight in the region of the uterus, pain in back and loins, could not lift anything heavy, rest at night very poor; stomach deranged. One physician said I was overworked, another said I had congestion and falling of uterus. He treated me nine months and said I would not be well until I had passed the change of life. I was only twenty-seven years old then. I became discouraged, and began using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Took a tea-spoonful three times a day; began feeling better right away. Am using my third bottle now, and feel I am in good health. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has restored me to health. If suffering women would give it a fair trial, they would give it praise."



MRS. REYCRRAFT.

Feeling Well Now.

"I will drop you a few lines to-day to let you know that I am feeling well now," writes Miss Anna Stephens, of Belleville, Wood Co, West Va. "I feel like a new woman. I took several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have no headache now, and no pain in my side any more. No bearing down pain any more. I think that there is no medicine like Dr. Pierce's medicine. I thank you very much for what you have done for me—your medicine has done me much good."

Anna Stephens

Wonderful Recovery.

"A heart overflowing with gratitude as well as a sense of duty urges me to write to you and tell you of my wonderful recovery," says Miss Corinne C. Hook, of Orangeburg, Orangeburg Co., So. Carolina (care of J. H. Hook). "By the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I am entirely a new being compared to the poor miserable sufferer who wrote you four months ago. I remark to my parents almost every day that it seems almost an impossibility for medicine to do a person so much good. During the whole summer I could scarcely keep up to walk about the house, and yesterday I walked four miles and felt better from the exercise. I now weigh 125 pounds. I read in your book of testimonials where a lady said Dr. Pierce's medicines were a 'Thousand pounds of comfort,' please let me add one thousand pounds more to it. Mine was a case of complicated female disease in its worst form.

"My sincerest thanks for all you have done for me and a hearty 'God bless you.'"

Corinne C. Hook,

A Blessing to Suffering Women.

"Your medicines are certainly a blessing to suffering women," writes Mrs. Ella Sauerwald, of 1935 W. Pratt Street, Baltimore, Md. "I suffered with female weakness very badly, was extremely nervous at all times, had indigestion, could not sleep, constant dull headache—in fact, I was very miserable when I began to take your medicines, but after taking them a short time I began to feel better. My nerves were better; could sleep at night, headache ceased, digestion was improved; I felt like a new woman, and could go around and attend to my household duties, which previous to taking your medicines I could not do. Dr. Pierce's Pellets cured me of constipation of many years' standing. I took eleven bottles in all—six of 'Favorite Prescription' and five of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and also two vials of the 'Pleasant Pellets.' I am sure if more women who suffer would take Dr. Pierce's medicines, they would then be convinced of the good they can do."

MRS. SAUERWALD.



Almost a Skeleton.

"Your 'Favorite Prescription' has done so much for me," says Mrs. Susan Weast, of Lawndale, Cleveland Co., N. C., "that I feel it my duty to write to you and tell you I think it

saved my life. I had been under the treatment of two doctors—had two mishaps. I was almost a skeleton, weighed only 70 pounds. A friend of mine recommended Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and when I commenced to take it my health began to improve greatly. In ten months I was a happy mother. I had only taken six bottles and have never taken any medicine since, of any kind, and now weigh 130 pounds.

Susan West.

Feel Better than Ever Before.

"It is with pleasure that I recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines," writes Mrs. Nora H. Tipton, of Cropper (Cropper Station), Shelby Co., Ky. "You remember my case was one of female weakness and weak lungs. I had no appetite and would often spit blood; was confined to my bed almost half of the time, and could hardly stand on my feet at times for the pains through my whole body and system. My husband had to pay many large doctor bills for me, but since I have taken four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, four of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and three vials of 'Pleasant Pellets,' we haven't paid any more doctor bills. It has been seven months since I stopped using Dr. Pierce's medicines, and I have been enjoying good health ever since. I can never praise these medicines too highly, for I have received so much benefit. I pray that many who suffer as I did will take Dr. Pierce's medicines. Everybody tells me I look better than they ever saw me. I am sure I feel better than I ever did before."

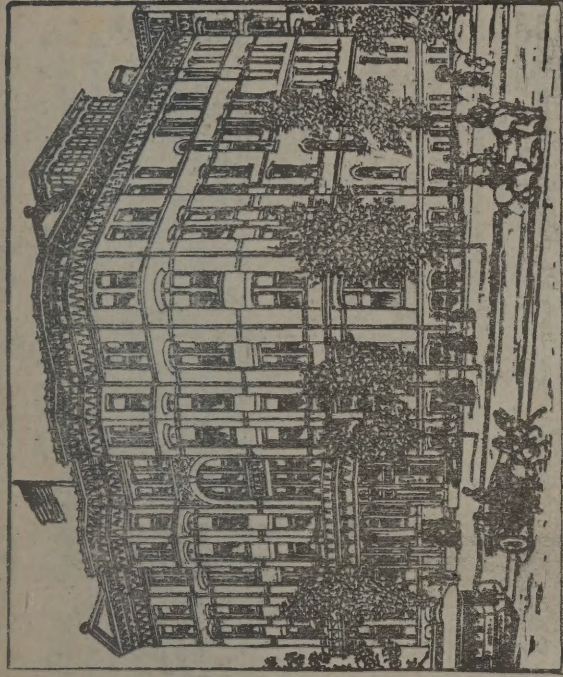


MRS. TIPTON.

Female Troubles.

"I cannot say too much for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. S. E. Rose, of Big Otter, Clay Co., West Va. "I am the mother of five children, and have been as high as eight days in the doctor's hands, and not less than two days at any time until the last one. I had used two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and was only two hours in the hands of the doctor. You have my heartfelt thanks for the good your medicine has done me."

(Mrs.) *S. E. Rose*



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We have not the space to speak, individually, of the large number of professional gentlemen composing the Faculty of this old and world-famed Institution, but will say that among them are those whose long connection with the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute has rendered them *experts* in their several specialties.

Advantages of Specialties.

By thorough organization and subdividing the practice of medicine and surgery in our Institutions, every invalid is treated by a specialist—one who devotes his undivided attention to the particular class of diseases to which the case belongs. The advantage of this arrangement must be obvious.

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Diseases of Women.

ized, and devoted *exclusively* to the treatment of these cases. The physicians and surgeons in this Department have made these delicate diseases their sole study.

Many are brought to our Institutions from distant States on beds, and go home in a few weeks well and strong. Quite as marvelous are the thousands of cures annually accomplished through correspondence, while the patients remain at home among their friends. Others come and consult us personally, are examined, prescribed for, and allowed to return home to carry out the treatment. Every case consulting our specialists, whether by letter or in person, is given the most careful and considerate attention. Not the slightest symptom or peculiarity of constitution escapes our specialists' attention and *deliberate* consideration. Every important case (and we get few which have not already baffled the skill of the home physicians), has the benefit of skilled specialists.

A Boon to Women. By our new and improved method of treatment, with Electrolysis and other means of our discovery and invention, many **Fibroid and Fibro-Cystic Tumors of the Uterus, and Ovarian Tumors** are readily reduced, and permanently cured, without pain, shock, or risk. These tumors are generally regarded as incurable by the profession, except when removed with the knife.

This Treatise cites numerous bad cases of both **Fibro-Cystic and Ovarian Tumors** which have been cured by our specialists without resort to the knife. Our surgeons only operate for the removal of Ovarian Tumors in exceptional cases, that is, when the tumor is very large, is interfering seriously with the health, and when its attachments are not so extensive as to preclude the possibility of successful removal with the knife. Yet, their practice annually requires them to remove many Ovarian Tumors, not favorable for reduction and cure by electrolysis. They have thereby acquired a national fame for the extraordinary success of their ovariectomy operations.

BARRENNESS, or STERILITY, is generally due to causes which can be easily removed, yet are not understood by physicians, who often treat lightly a subject fraught with so much importance to humanity. Our specialists have devoted to this subject careful study. By their skill, stricture of the neck of the uterus, and other **impediments to the bearing of offspring**, have been easily and painlessly overcome, and hundreds of homes thereby made happy.

For a full treatise on Diseases of Women, see "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," notice of which appears on page 32 of this little booklet. It is now free to all. All letters of inquiry, or of consultation, should be addressed to

World's Dispensary Medical Association,
No. 663 Main Street, BUFFALO, N. Y.

THE BASIS OF LIFE.

The Stomach the Vital Center.

Life is sustained by food. But it is not what we eat but what we digest and assimilate which sustains the life of the body. The stomach therefore (with its associated organs of digestion and nutrition) is the vital center of the body. The body is nourished and strengthened only in proportion to the ability of the stomach to prepare and assimilate the blood-making and body-building material contained in food.

It follows then that **no man can be stronger than his stomach**; that the health of the stomach determines in great measure the health of the whole body in all its organs.

There never was a strong man with a weak stomach. How could there be? For strength is made from food properly digested and perfectly assimilated, and it is the very first mark of a "weak" stomach that the digestion fails.

FACTS ABOUT FOOD.—Food is in itself a complex element supplying the complex requirements of the body. Food must have salts and iron for the blood, lime for the bones, phosphates for the nerves and brain.

And these several elements must be separated, selected and distributed to the several organs by the digestive and nutritive processes.

It often happens that there is a failure to select and assimilate some one element—such as the phosphates—required in sufficient quantity to feed the nerves and brain. Pain is the hunger cry of the nerves, and the misery known as "nervousness" or the torment of neuralgia, points to nerve hunger. The stomach and its allied organs are not extracting the nerve nutriment from the food. The natural tendency is to fly to "nerve tonics," "nervines" and other so-called "nerve foods." These are in general nothing but opiates or anodynes of some sort. They only *numb* the nerves. They cannot nourish them. Only *food* can nourish and **opiates are not foods but poisons.**

These well known pathological facts lead to a certain, inevitable conclusion.

Diseases which seem to be in heart or lungs, blood or liver, brain or nerves or in any other organ, are often the product of a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

It will be useless to treat heart, brain, lungs, nerves, liver, kidneys or any other organ while the diseased condition of the stomach remains unchanged.

Diseases which have their origin in the stomach must be cured through the stomach.

A RATIONAL REMEDY.—These facts perfectly explain the wide range of cures of lungs, liver, heart, head, kidneys, and other organs which have been effected by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Primarily it is a medicine for the stomach and organs of digestion and nutri-

tion. It ~~heals many forms of~~ disease only because many forms of disease have their beginning in a diseased condition of the stomach. It heals diseases remote from the stomach because it cures **through the stomach** diseases which have their origin in the stomach.

That is the entire philosophy of the many and wonderful cures effected by the agency of "Golden Medical Discovery." The fact that these cures are perfect and permanent, rests upon the testimony of men and women, who, in their own neighborhood among those who best know them, are recognized as "pillars of the church" and "the salt of society."

CONSUMPTION CURES.—All serious sickness is attended with the wasting of the body, and this with lack of appetite and assimilative power.

Consumption, for example, is a wasting disease. Its course is marked by emaciation. The common treatment of consumption is by food fats.

But this treatment fails to recognize the fact that all food must be digested; that you can't digest and assimilate any kind of food if the stomach is broken down and these oils being foods cannot be digested and assimilated by the weak stomach. The oils are fed in an attempt to bring the character of the food down to the level of a weak stomach. Dr. Pierce's theory is that *you must bring the weak stomach up to the level of strong food.* That is the only way in which the stomach can furnish the blood supply for the body, adequate in its quantity and in its vital elements to the needs of the whole body and all its parts.

This is the work perfectly performed by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It acts upon the weak stomach so that it regains strength. With that regained strength comes an increased activity of the blood-making glands, which are stimulated to new effort by the "Discovery." The appetite increases until it equals the normal food demand of the body. The food which satisfies the appetite is wholly digested and perfectly assimilated. The blood made from this food is abundant in quantity as the food is abundant in supply, and rich in quality because all the nutritive properties of the food are extracted and assimilated, and are distributed by the blood, to each organ and member according to its needs.

THE SYMPTOMS of disease of the nutritive system and its resultant and kindred affections may differ according to the circumstances, temperament, age, or constitutional weakness of the individual and the complications of the disease and its stage of advancement. Not unfrequently the complexion becomes pale and sallow, there may be frequent attacks of bilious or sick headache, bitter taste in the mouth, tongue coated white or covered with a brown fur, unnatural dry, harsh, or scaly condition of the skin, or branny eruptions, pimples, dark blotches, and troublesome itching. There are likely to be "backache" and tired feelings, lassitude and a sense of debility. There are depression of spirits and a decided tendency to be discouraged and despondent. There is loss or irregularity of appetite, uneasiness in region of the stomach, oppression, sometimes sour stomach, "heart-burn," nausea and "water-brash," flatulency, and acrid eructations; the bowels become irregular, usually constipated, and occasion-

ally subject to diarrhoea, attended with colicky pains. The foregoing symptoms are not all present in any one case, nor are any two cases alike in every respect.

LIVER DISEASE.—The liver is the great filtering apparatus of the alimentative system. It filters the poison-loaded bile out of the blood and discharges part of it from the body.

When the liver lacks active capacity to do this work, then the bile passes through into the general circulation and begins its poisonous work. Through the circulation of the blood it is disseminated throughout the body, gradually sapping the strength, clouding the brain, weighing down the energies, weakening the heart's action, infecting and undermining the tissues. Eventually the poison begins to accumulate at the skin, the kidneys, the bronchial tubes, or the lungs, until at last it settles and fastens itself at some point, which location may be far away from the liver; yet it is stagnation or congestion of the liver which is the immediate cause of the whole trouble. Back of that, the originating cause is in the whole nutritive system; for the liver itself gets its nourishment directly from the blood.

The only way to help a disordered liver is to treat it as it is:—the great, organic, human filter. The "Golden Medical Discovery" *cleanses and clears it*; invigorates and revitalizes this most important organ by its wonderful alterative power. It restores its normal, active capability, and supplies it with pure, healthy blood, rich in the elements of vitality.

BLOOD AND SKIN DISEASES.—In all the more acute blood and skin diseases the "Golden Medical Discovery" is the most active and radical remedial agent ever devised. It promptly neutralizes the poisonous principle in the blood; off-sets the destructive action by rapidly manufacturing an abundance of healthy red blood-corpuscles, and imparts to the great vital current of life those elements of pure nutrition before which morbid germs and disease microbes cannot live.

Scrofulous diseases, enlarged glands, tumors and swellings, catarrh, pimples, blotches, eruptions, rashes, salt-rheum, eczema, ulcers, skin troubles of every name and nature, and particularly those infectious blood diseases of the most dangerous type are met and completely overcome by the regular and persistent use of this marvelous Alterative Extract.

WILL IT CURE CONSUMPTION?—Many people ask "Will the 'Golden Medical Discovery' cure consumption?" There is just one answer: "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure the *causes* of consumption. It will cure the troubles which *lead on* to consumption. It will supply the lungs with good blood. It will furnish Nature with the materials for building fresh and healthy lung-tissue.

BRONCHITIS AND WASTING COUGHS.—We know that the "Discovery" is the most efficacious remedy ever devised for severe throat and laryngeal and bronchial affections, chronic and lingering coughs, bleeding lungs, and those obstinate, wasting, debilitating, "run-down" conditions which if neglected or improperly treated lead on to consumption.

NERVOUS DISEASES.—The nervous organism is the electrical system of the body.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" by its wonderful regener-

ating effect upon the sources whence nerve-power is derived, creates an abundance of that active elemental energy; the essential principle of power, which restores healthy nerve-fiber, dispels headache, pains, irritability, and that sense of mental depression and melancholia which is one of the conspicuous features of a disordered nervous organism. It brings back comfort, cheerfulness, vivacity and mental poise.

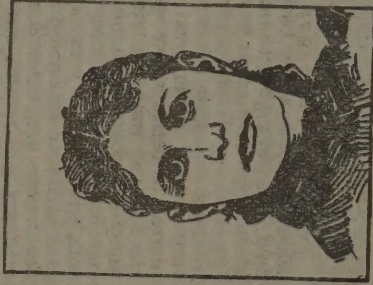
CONTAINS NO ALCOHOL.—The "Golden Medical Discovery" contains neither alcohol, whisky, syrup, or sugar. **DO NOT BE DECEIVED.**—It is an insult to your intelligence for a dealer to attempt to palm off upon you a *substitute* for this world-famed medicine, and purchasers should turn their backs on any dealer who offers them such treatment.

No Medicine Like It.

"I gladly send these few lines for publication, if you think best, feeling under great obligation for the advice received," writes Mrs. John McLaughlin of Saddle River, Bergen Co., N. J.

"I had been suffering for several years and had doctored with a number of physicians. Would get a little better then would get worse again, until I read of Dr. Pierce's medicines. A little over three years ago I commenced taking your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription,' and several vials of 'Pellets,' I took eight bottles—four of each, and felt at that time as though I needed no more medicine. I could do all my own work and felt very good until I had the grip four times, which reduced me very much. Last winter I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicines again. I have taken five bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two of 'Favorite Prescription,' and am feeling like a different woman."

MRS. McLAUGHLIN.



Bronchial Disease.

"About one year ago I began to be troubled with a dry, hacking cough, and a hurting through my breast so that I could hardly go about or do my house work for myself and husband," writes Mrs. Alice Holton, of St. Albans, Kanawha Co., W. Va. "I let my trouble go on until about eight months ago I got one of Dr. R. V. Pierce's little pamphlets. I learned of a great remedy for such diseases, and I wrote to the World's Dispensary Medical Association in a short time after reading the little book. They soon gave me an answer and advised me what to do. I followed their advice and I soon found relief by the use of Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I have used three bottles of it and now feel like a new person."

Alice Holton

A Wreck for Six Years.

Mrs. M. E. Farrar, of Scottsville, Albemarle Co., Va., writes: "I wrote to you last May explaining my case to you and you advised me to take Dr. Pierce's medicines. At that time I had been a wreck for six years and continued getting worse every day. Could not walk across the floor without suffering almost death. My case was of long standing; womb disease, dyspepsia, heart trouble and nervousness. I grew worse all the time. I tried different physicians who said they could not cure me. When I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicines I only weighed ninety pounds. I took four bottles of his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and five of 'Favorite Prescription.' When I commenced the doctor said I would not live a month. To-day I am a well woman and weigh one hundred and twenty-five pounds. It has been eight months since I stopped taking the medicines and I have no symptoms of a return of the disease."

MRS. FARRAR.



Eczema Cured.

"About two years ago a rash appeared on the arms and legs of my nephew, a boy twelve years of age," writes H. Greenfield, Esq., of 213 East 101st Street, New York, N. Y. "We paid little attention to it at first but it kept on getting worse every day, and we finally went to our family physician who pronounced it a case of eczema, and said he could cure it in a short while. After treating it about two months it got worse instead of better so we went to another doctor and after giving him two month's trial, without any benefit, we tried still another doctor, with no better results. Having given four regular physicians two month's trial each, with no relief whatever, we got very much discouraged. My brother-in-law is a poor man and could not afford to spend any more money for doctors and medicine, so we sent the boy to the free dispensary. He tried one after another; they gave him ointments that ruined the underwear and bed linen, but there was not a sign of any improvement in his condition. I advised the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and after using two bottles the patient began to improve. The itching abated; he could sleep better; his appetite increased, and we continued to use the 'Discovery' and 'Pellets' until the scales came off by the handful. We used in all twelve bottles and his whole body is to-day as clear and smooth as a baby's. This is the most wonderful and complete cure that ever came under my observation."

H. Greenfield

A Remarkable Cure.

"I wish to extend my most heartfelt thanks for the benefit your medicine has been to me," writes Mrs. Charles Leray, of Unionville, Tuscola Co., Mich. "I had what the doctors called inflammation of the ovaries; there was pus formed in the fallopian tubes. Once or twice a year I would have a spell of sickness lasting about two months; very severe pains in my



sides over the ovaries and down the upper part of my limbs to the knees, it seemed as if the flesh would come off, and accompanied by severe vomiting and nose-bleed. I was not able to do my work. I was so sore across the abdomen if I stepped down quickly it almost killed me. Could not keep hardly anything on my stomach any of the time.

"I was examined by our home physician, also one in Toledo, Ohio, and they both said I would have to have the ovaries removed. In June, 1898, I went from Toledo to Battle Creek to the Advent Sanitarium and was examined by Doctors Kellogg and Winegar, and they advised an operation. I took treatment there for ten weeks; local and bath-room treatment, such as electric baths, hot fomentations, etc. I improved some and returned home the first of September and commenced doing my housework. I began to get worse again. I then got one bottle each, of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and 'Favorite Prescription.' When I commenced taking them I weighed 106 pounds, before I had taken one bottle of each I improved so much that it encouraged me. I kept right on. I have taken two bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and eight of the 'Favorite Prescription,' and haven't had any pain since March. I feel perfectly well. I weigh 135 pounds. I have had better health the past winter and spring than ever before in my life."

MRS. LERAY.

"When I first wrote you I was in a terrible state of health," writes Mrs. M. J. Ashford, of Stoneleigh, Fairfax Co., Va. "I did not care whether I lived or died, as I had womb and bladder trouble. I had tried everything and had almost given up when I tried your medicines. I took eight bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and 'Favorite Prescription' and with home-treatment I am like a new person, as it did work wonders with me. For five or six years I did not know what a well day was. Now I can do my work with all ease. I advise all who suffer as I did to try Dr. Pierce's medicines. I think they are the most wonderful medicines in the world."

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**Doctor Called it Consumption. Cured by
"Golden Medical Discovery."**

"Twenty-five years ago when I was thirteen years old I had what the doctor called consumption," writes Mrs. Ella Taylor Dodge, Matron of the Home for Missionaries' Children, of Morgan Park, Ill., Box 165. "He told my mother that nothing could be done for me excepting to make me as comfortable as possible. The pastor of the M. E. Church of the place where I lived heard of my condition and although he was not acquainted with our family, he called, and during the call he asked my mother if she would allow me to take a medicine if he would send it to me. She thought that it could do no harm if it did no good, so he sent a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Before the bottle was empty my friends saw a little improvement in my health, whereupon another bottle was bought. I can't say just how much I took, but I improved steadily, and today I am a well, strong woman, as you may imagine I must be to have the care of this home. I now have a child under my care and when she takes cold it settles in the larynx. I at first used medicines which her mother suggested before leaving her, but nothing did the least good till I gave your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have unbounded faith in it."

Ella Taylor Dodge

"No Use to Suffer."

"I have been thinking for some time I would tell you how much good your medicines have done for me," writes Mrs. A. L. Cary, of Lewis, Morgan Co., Ohio. "I had female trouble, retroversion, ovarian neuralgia, lame back, palpitation of heart, congestion of womb. I surely was like a wreck, for I could not eat anything but that my stomach would almost kill me, and I was so nervous and weak I could scarcely walk at all. Would be as tired when I got up in the morning as when I went to bed, and my heart beat so irregularly I could scarcely lie in bed. I sent and got one of your Common Sense Medical Advisers and I read and studied it and began treatment. I have taken six bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and about the same of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' also several bottles of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The retroversion caused constipation and I took the Pellets with good success."



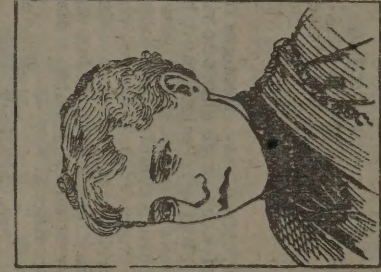
MRS. CARY.

Dyspepsia Cured.

"I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one vial of 'Pellets' and I could eat anything I wanted, so I thought I would not take any more for a while and see if I was cured," writes Mrs. Julia E. Deal, of Ostwalt, Iredell Co., N. C. "I have not taken any medicine now for four months. I can eat anything I want and have not been sick a day this summer. The harder I work, the better I feel. I have not been in bed a day since I took your medicine."

Julia E. Deal

Salt-Rheum.



"With the greatest of pleasure I write you of the benefit I have received from your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' after having suffered for three years with salt-rheum," writes Mrs. John Koepke, of 725 Redwood Avenue, Toledo, Ohio. "The humor was on my hands, and I had been treated by our home physician. He advised me to keep my hands out of water, which I did, but that did not help me. After I began the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I took seven bottles, and can say with pleasure that I am cured. Nobody knows the intense pain that I have suffered. I could not sleep at night, the stinging, burning, and itching sensation would be so bad, sometimes I could hardly stand it. I thank you for your kind advice."

MRS. KOEPKE.

Throat and Lung Trouble.

"I feel that I want the whole world to know what Dr. Pierce's medicines have done for me," writes Mrs. Helen Hardgrove, of Bangs, Knox Co., Ohio. "I had many of the ills of woman's life. My lungs and throat troubled me besides, and I had rheumatism. About a year ago I had to give up work, I was so bad. I did not know what to do. I had heard so much about your medicine, I thought I would try it. I took four bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets.' I think I took six or seven bottles of the 'Pellets,' and by the time I had taken half of the first bottle, I began to gain, and kept on getting better. And now I have no more of my old ailments, and am entirely cured of the rheumatism. I keep the 'Pellets' on hand, as there is no other medicine so good to break up a bad cold. I feel like a new woman."

Helen Hardgrove

Stomach Disease.

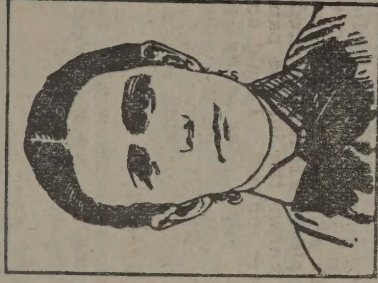
"I can say to you, one bottle of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' has cured me sound and well, after suffering two long years with stomach disease," writes W. H. Braswell, of McAdenville, Gaston Co., N. C. "My health is worth all the world to me. I will praise you as long as I live."

Dr. H. A. Bradwell

How a Well Woman Feels.

"About nine years ago," writes Miss Sallie Boggan, of Rich (Rich Hill), Spartanburg Co., S. C., "I was taken with what our

physicians called neuralgia and enlargement of the heart, dyspepsia and indigestion. I suffered untold agony in both mind and body, and at times my mind would become cloudy so that I did not care to see anybody. I would sit down to the table to eat and eat a few mouthfuls but my stomach would not retain any kind of food and I would have to leave the table. Last fall I spent about \$25.00 with our doctor but grew worse all the time. At last, when I was about to give up in despair, a friend advised me to write Dr. Pierce, I did so and he advised me to take his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.' I bought one bottle of each, and also one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets,' and began using as directed. In a few days I could tell I was getting better. I have taken four bottles each of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription,' and two vials of 'Pleasant Pellets,' and I am a well woman to-day. Can eat anything and work hard all day in the field or house, or anywhere else, and can sleep as sweetly as a baby. Many thanks to you for your kind treatment."



MISS BOGGAN.

Pronounced Incurable.

"I have long felt it my duty to acknowledge to you what your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription' have done for me," writes Miss Alice Hampton, of 199 East 4th St., Lexington, Ky. "I had intermittent fever (or 'fever and ague') one year before taking your medicines, and was pronounced incurable. Had a very bad cough. My arms and shoulders would ache and sometimes I would feel so numb I thought I was dying. I had also a bad case of womb trouble from which I suffered great pain. Had it not been for Dr. Pierce's medicines I know I would have been in my grave."

Alice Hampton

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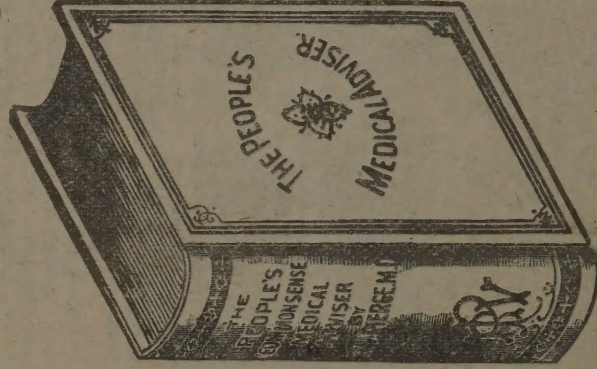
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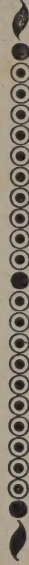
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